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Examination of emigrants.—Intending steerage passengers for the United States or their dependencies were examined as follows:

Per steamship *Kaga Maru* examined 29, held 9, passed 20, certified 17, of whom 15 were bathed; 55 pieces of baggage disinfected. Per steamship *Mongolia* examined for San Francisco 3, held 1, certified 2, and for Honolulu examined 13, held 2, certified 11; 28 pieces of baggage and 1 box of human hair disinfected.

The sanitary condition of the port continues good.

A published statement of plague in Kobe shows for the present outbreak a total of 244 cases, of which 32 occurred in the suburban districts.

JAVA.

Batavia—Recrudescence of cholera in Sumatra.

Consul Rairden reports, November 6:

It is officially reported that cholera has again broken out in the Palembang district, Sumatra, but not in epidemic form.

MEXICO.

Report from the Superior Board of Health of Mexico.

In compliance with articles 1 and 2 of the International Sanitary Convention held at Washington, November 15, 1905, the acting president of the Superior Board of Health of Mexico reports that for the week ended December 11 no case of nor death from yellow fever was registered in the Republic of Mexico, and that prophylactic measures against the disease continue to be carried out.

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS.

Manila—Status of cholera.

Chief Quarantine Officer Heiser reports, November 9:

Week ended November 6. Eleven cases of cholera, with 10 deaths, and 1 case of smallpox occurred in the city of Manila.

Cholera in the provinces.

Province.	Cases.	Deaths.
Albay.....	4	4
Bataan.....	46	31
Bohol.....	18	12
Bulacan.....	23	18
Camarines.....	13	11
Cavite.....	18	16
Cebu.....	6	6
Oriental Negros.....	3	2
Pampanga.....	17	13
Leyte.....	3	1
Rizal.....	9	7
Total.....	160	121